## **AGENDA**

## ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON CLOSING THE ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT GAP

## March 14, 2013, 1:00 PM

Commissioner's Conference Room Arch Ford Education Building, #4 State Capitol Mall, Little Rock

- 1. Welcome Back /Travel forms - Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson
- 2. Introduction of New Commission Members/Guests - Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson
  - Mr. Jack Crumbly Senate Appointee
  - Mr. Harvey Benton Senate Appointee
- 3. Approval of Minutes of February 21, 2013 Meeting - Commission
- 4. Discussion/Review of Current Research - Mrs. Kathy Powers
- 5. Updates -- Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson/Commission
  - Sub-committee Reports -- Commission
    - **★** Common Core Sub-committee
    - **★** ACSIP/Educational Resources Sub-committee
    - **★** Parental Involvement Sub-committee
    - **★** Local Gap Task Force/Bridging the Gap Symposium Sub-committee
  - Update on the Governor Appointees - Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson
  - Update on Upcoming Presentations - Dr. Dawn Tirado Simpson
- 6. Future Meeting Date (s) -- Commission
  - Next Meeting April 18, 2013
- 7. Adjournment